

**REMARKS**

The Examiner has requested restriction of claims 14-17 of this Application. Applicants have withdrawn Claim 14. Claims 15-17 are now pending in this Application. Applicants' withdrawal of Claim 14 is without prejudice to the Applicants' right to file a divisional application at a later date having Claim 14 and to the Applicants' right to claim priority to this Application and all earlier filed Applications, including U.S. Application No. 09/677,575, filed October 3, 2000, which is a divisional of U.S. Application No. 09/220,08 filed December 23, 1998, now U.S. Patent No. 6,171,833.

**Conclusion**

Applicants submit that claims 15-17 are in allowable form. Applicants believe the amendments made herein place the application in allowable form and respectfully request entry of said amendments. Reconsideration of pending claims 15-17, allowance and passage to issue are respectfully requested.

**Authorization**

It is believed that this Response and Amendment requires no fee. However, if an additional fee is required for any reason, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 02-4553 the necessary amount.

Respectfully submitted,

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